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TABLE SHOWING USSR ELECTRIC POWER DEVELOPMENT

The following table is a compilation of figures on the development of electric power in the USSR between 1885 and 1953, with plan figures to 1953. It is designed to serve as a basis for future exploitation by FDD of this subject and to give an over-all picture of electric power in the USSR on the basis of foreign documents.

The information in the table is presented under three headings: (1) installed capacity in thousands of kilowatts, with a breakdown by total capacity, capacity of TES (steam-electric power stations), and capacity of GES (hydro-electric power stations); (2) output in millions of kilowatt-hours, with the same breakdown; and (3) power per capita per year in kilowatt-hours.

All except three of the sources used to compile the table are Russian. Asterisks in the table indicate that figures are from non-Russian sources.

All documented figures are either taken as cited from the sources, in which case only the source is cited, or calculated on the basis of information contained in the sources. In the latter case the figures used as a basis for calculations are quoted in notes accompanying the sources to give the reader an opportunity to check the accuracy of the calculations. Undocumented figures are arrived at by simple arithmetic calculations of available figures.

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[Letters in parentheses refer to appended sources.]

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AT THE END OF THE YEAR	INSTALLED CAPACITY (IN THOUSANDS OF KILOWATTS)					
	TOTAL		TES		GES	
	TOTAL	INCREASE	TOTAL	INCREASE	TOTAL	INCREASE
1935	FIRM TES(M) 0.505					
1900	80(M)	1,192				
1913	1,098(A)					
1917	1,192(A)		1,183		9(W)	
1920	1,140(X)	-52				
1921	1,228(A)	88				
1922	1,247(A)	19				
1923	1,279(A)	32		334		
1924	1,308(A)	29				100(O)
1925	1,397(A)	89				
1926	1,586(A)	189	1,517		69	60(O)
1927	1,698(A)	112	ABT 1,601	ABT 84	85.5(W)	
1928	1,905(A)	207			109	750(O) 771(M)
1929	2,296(A)	391				
1930	2,876(A)	580	ABT 2,641			345(O)
1931	3,972(A)	1,096				
1932	4,677(A)	705	ABT 4,242		427.5(W)	
1933	5,583(A)	906			ABT 442	
1934	6,287(A)	704	ABT 1,892			1,500(O) 500(O)
1935	6,914(M)	627	6,134	ABT 2,894	780(M)	
1936						
1937	8,116(X) 8,117(L) 8,692(F) 8,542(L)	ABT 1,203	ABT 7,136	ABT 1,002	1,026(W) ABT 935	
1938		ABT 501				
1939	9,900(L) 10,700(U)	ABT 1,683		ABT 1,628	1,540(W) 1,533(O)	OVER 600(U) ABT 556
1940			ABT 8,764			
1941					ABT 1,597	
1942						
1943		-5,000(R)		-4,321		-1,000(O) + 260(O) - 740(O) (NET)
1944						
1945	ABT 5,300		ABT 4,443		ABT 857	

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1946					
1947		RESTORED: 5,000(R)			
1948		PLANNED NEW: 11,700(R)		15,620 ?	PLANNED: + 740(o) +2,300(o) +3,040(o)
1949	PLANNED: *22,400(P)	TOTAL: 16,700			
1950	22,000?		20,063 ?	2,137(w)	
1951	ABT 25,200?	ABT 3,000(c)			
1952					
1953	ABT 44,600?	22,400(N)		18,361 ?	PLANNED: 4,276(N)
1954	ABT 44,800(N)				PLANNED: 4,016(Y)
1955			38,424 ?	PLANNED: 6,153(Y) 6,400(W)	

AT THE END OF THE YEAR		TOTAL		TES		GES		POWER PER CAPITA PER YEAR (KW-H)
		TOTAL	INCREASE	TOTAL	INCREASE	TOTAL	INCREASE	
1885								
1900								
1913	1,945(A)		2,575					8-14(M)
1917	2,575(A)							
1920	500(M,M)		-2,075					
1921	520(A)		20					
1922	775(A)		255					
1923	1,146(A)		371					
1924	1,562(A)		416					
1925	2,925(A)		1,363					
1926	3,608(A)		683					
1927	4,205(A)		597	3,845		*360(B)		
1928	5,007(A)		802	4,807		200(P)		
1929	6,224(A)		1,217					
1930	8,368(A)		2,144		ABT. 8,993		ABT 342	
1931	10,687(A)		2,319					
1932	13,540(A)		2,853	ABT 12,838		704(P) *700(B)		

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1933	16,360(A)	2,820			
1934	21,010(A)	4,650			
1935	26,292(M)	5,282	ABT 20,522		ABT 3,668
1936					
1937	36,400(X)	37,000(T)	ABT 33,360	2,912(P) *4,368(F)	215(U)
1938	39,600(B)	3,200			
1939			ABT 11,300		ABT 1,395
1940	48,300(N,M,I,U)	ABT 43,265		ABT 5,000(B) 5,071(P) 5,118(O)	
1941	48,750(J)	450	43,632	ABT 367	ABT 82
1942					
1943		-3,150			
1944					
1945	45,600(A)		ABT 33,923		
1946	50,160(A) 57,750(Q)	4,560			ABT 7,994
1947	57,900(A)	ABT 7,665			
1948	67,000(A)	ABT 9,175			
1949	78,800(A)	11,800 11,500			*400(F)
1950	90,300(R) 104,000(N,E)	37,000(J)	ABT 77,188	13,725(P) 12,500(O,R)	
1951	104,750(C)	ABT 14,075			OVER 500(V)
1952	117,000(K)	ABT 12,625			
1953					
1954		45,000?			
1955	PLANNED: 162,000(J)				

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"The electric power output of all the GES in 1941 was 10.5 percent of total output. It was planned to raise it in 1950 to 15.4 percent of that year's output." "The total capacity of the new GES planned for construction during the postwar Five-Year Plan was 2.3 million kilowatts, which is 1.5 times greater than the capacity of GES in operation at the outbreak of World War II." "The capacity of GES destroyed during the war was restored by 1950."

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